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Applicants: Whitcomb
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SYSTEM AND METHOD
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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

The patents or publications listed on the enclosed PTO Form 1449 are submitted pursuant to 37 CFR 1.97. Copies of the patents or publications cited are enclosed.

Submitted herewith is a copy (with English translation as appropriate) of an Official Search Report of the PCT Patent Office in counterpart foreign application No. PCT/US02/02246.

TIME OF FILING

The information disclosure statement is being filed:

1. X with the application or within three months of the filing date of the application or date of entry into the national stage of an international application or before the mailing date of a first office action on the merits, whichever event occurs last. In accordance with 37 CFR 1.97(b), no certification or fee is required.

2. _____ after the time period specified in paragraph 1 above, but before the mailing date of a final action under 37 CFR 1.113 or notice of allowance under 37 CFR 1.311. Therefore, in accordance with 37 CFR 1.97(c), submitted herewith is:

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- A. _____ a certification as specified in 37 CFR 1.97(e).
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- A. a certification as specified in 37 CFR 1.97(e);
B. the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(i); and
C. the accompanying petition under 37 CFR 1.97(d).

CERTIFICATION

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Attached is a check in the amount of _____.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee deficiency required by this paper or credit any overpayment to Bose McKinney & Evans LLP's Deposit Account No. 02-3223. A duplicate copy of this communication is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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